

Table 24. Number of earned bachelor's degrees conferred by institutions in Puerto Rico to Hispanic women, by field: 1991-2000

Field	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	2000
Total, all Hispanic recipients									
Total, all fields	28,246	30,981	34,020	36,823	38,816	41,680	44,388	46,409	53,667
Science and engineering	7,463	8,661	9,282	10,339	11,159	12,199	13,222	14,103	15,813
Engineering	527	546	606	648	756	834	929	946	987
Sciences	6,936	8,115	8,676	9,691	10,403	11,365	12,293	13,157	14,826
Natural sciences	2,247	2,395	2,426	2,723	2,923	3,255	3,511	4,008	4,489
Physical science ¹	215	220	238	318	363	384	385	440	505
Mathematical science	221	203	197	243	221	231	241	304	292
Computer science	477	449	396	416	431	456	426	490	662
Biological science	1,245	1,434	1,508	1,603	1,750	1,961	2,195	2,460	2,710
Agricultural science	89	89	87	143	158	223	264	314	320
Social sciences	4,689	5,720	6,250	6,968	7,480	8,110	8,782	9,149	10,337
Social science	2,700	3,299	3,591	3,974	4,103	4,400	4,785	5,022	5,638
Psychology	1,989	2,421	2,659	2,994	3,377	3,710	3,997	4,127	4,699
Non-S&E ²	20,783	22,320	24,738	26,484	27,657	29,481	31,166	32,306	37,854
Hispanic recipients from institutions in Puerto Rico									
Total, all fields	7,941	8,503	8,990	8,941	8,928	9,140	9,145	9,135	10,625
Science and engineering	1,587	1,645	1,662	1,779	1,844	1,917	2,060	2,127	2,371
Engineering	156	188	186	208	245	254	334	273	285
Sciences	1,431	1,457	1,476	1,571	1,599	1,663	1,726	1,854	2,086
Natural sciences	834	819	804	834	850	966	985	1,141	1,238
Physical science ¹	84	94	102	141	180	181	169	191	249
Mathematical science	58	14	17	12	11	11	8	8	9
Computer science	157	137	107	109	93	101	79	112	93
Biological science	504	574	578	550	547	642	690	774	832
Agricultural science	31	0	0	22	19	31	39	56	55
Social sciences	597	638	672	737	749	697	741	713	848
Social science	278	253	297	342	334	331	354	346	372
Psychology	319	385	375	395	415	366	387	367	476
Non-S&E ²	6,354	6,858	7,328	7,162	7,084	7,223	7,085	7,008	8,254

See explanatory information and SOURCE at end of table.

Table 24. Number of earned bachelor's degrees conferred by institutions in Puerto Rico to Hispanic women, by field: 1991-2000

Field	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	2000
	Percent from institutions in Puerto Rico								
Total, all fields	28.1	27.4	26.4	24.3	23.0	21.9	20.6	19.7	19.8
Science and engineering	21.3	19.0	17.9	17.2	16.5	15.7	15.6	15.1	15.0
Engineering	29.6	34.4	30.7	32.1	32.4	30.5	36.0	28.9	28.9
Sciences	20.6	18.0	17.0	16.2	15.4	14.6	14.0	14.1	14.1
Natural sciences	37.1	34.2	33.1	30.6	29.1	29.7	28.1	28.5	27.6
Physical science ¹	39.1	42.7	42.9	44.3	49.6	47.1	43.9	43.4	49.3
Mathematical science	26.2	6.9	8.6	4.9	5.0	4.8	3.3	2.6	3.1
Computer science	32.9	30.5	27.0	26.2	21.6	22.1	18.5	22.9	14.0
Biological science	40.5	40.0	38.3	34.3	31.3	32.7	31.4	31.5	30.7
Agricultural science	34.8	.0	.0	15.4	12.0	13.9	14.8	17.8	17.2
Social sciences	12.7	11.2	10.8	10.6	10.0	8.6	8.4	7.8	8.2
Social science	10.3	7.7	8.3	8.6	8.1	7.5	7.4	6.9	6.6
Psychology	16.0	15.9	14.1	13.2	12.3	9.9	9.7	8.9	10.1
Non-S&E ²	30.6	30.7	29.6	27.0	25.6	24.5	22.7	21.7	21.8

¹ In this report, "Physical science" includes earth, atmospheric, and oceanographic sciences, as well as physics, astronomy, and chemistry.

² Non-S&E refers to non-science and non-engineering.

NOTES: Detailed national data were not released for the academic year ending 1999 by the National Center for Education Statistics.

Data on race/ethnicity of degree recipients were collected on broad fields of study only until 1994; therefore, these trend data could not be adjusted to the exact field taxonomies used by NSF.

Racial/ethnic categories are as designated on the survey form. These categories include U.S. citizens and foreign citizens on permanent visas (i.e., resident aliens who have been admitted for permanent residency).

See section C for specific fields included in each category.

SOURCE: Tabulated by National Science Foundation/Division of Science Resources Statistics; data from Department of Education/National Center for Education Statistics: Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System Completions Survey